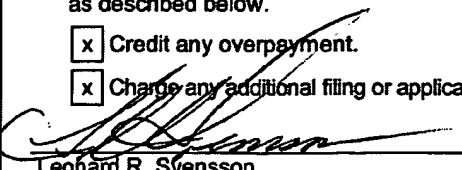


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 0825-0176P		
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Applicant(s): Thomas BOREN et al.					
Invention: HELICOBACTER PYLORI ADHESIN BINDING GROUP ANTIGEN					
<p>MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.</p>					
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July 6, 2006

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated March 6, 2006, the period for response being extended by one (1) month to July 6, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.